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MISSILES IN FLIGHT

KUN-MING, CHINA

1. SIGNIFICANCE: FIRST DEFINITE INDICATION OF SAM SITE IN KUN-MING AREA.
2. REMARKS: CURRENTLY THERE ARE 18 KNOWN SAM SITES IN CHINA.
3. LOCATION: SIX NM NORTHEAST OF KUN-MING AT APPROXIMATELY 2507N 10247E.
4. FIRST IDENTIFICATION: [REDACTED]
5. NEGATION DATE: [REDACTED]  
(NO SAM SITE OBSERVED IN THE KUN-MING AREA ON CLEAR PHOTOGRAPHY).
6. SUBSEQUENT COVERAGE: NONE
7. COLLATERAL/COMINT: NONE
8. DIMENSIONS/SPECIFICATIONS: NONE
9. MISSION READOUT: THIS MISSION REVEALS A PROBABLE SURFACE-TO-AIR MISSILE WITH ASSOCIATED CONTRAIL IN FLIGHT IN AN APPARENT ATTEMPT TO SHOOT DOWN THE MISSION AIRCRAFT. A SECOND OBJECT WITH ASSOCIATED CONTRAIL IS CONSIDERED TO BE AN UNIDENTIFIED MISSILE. A THIRD CONTRAIL, WITH CHARACTERISTICS SIMILAR TO THE CONTRAIL OF THE PROBABLE SURFACE-TO-AIR MISSILE, IS ALSO OBSERVED IN THE AREA. NO SAM SITES CAN BE IDENTIFIED

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WITHIN A 25 NM RADIUS OF KUN-MING, HOWEVER, THE AREA IS APPROXIMATELY  
50% CLOUD COVERED.

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25-07N 102-47E**



**PROB SAM**

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**U/I MISSILE**

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**GAP IN PHOTOGRAPHY**

**KUN-MING 6NM**

**MISSILE CONTRAILS**

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